MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Management Staff

SUBJECT : Records Management

- 1. I would like to refer to our meeting of 15 August 1956 and to your 25X1 memorandum for attention of 17 August 1956.
  - 2. The subject of Records Management has been given considerable attention within the Clandestine Services; it is certainly our intention to continue it, with special emphasis on records disposition.
  - 3. With respect to this latter aspect, the following status report will be of interest:
  - a. In the first week of December 1955, the first shipment of retired records was made to the DD/P area of the CIA Records Center. The size of this deposit was 1,545 cubic feet. Since then, DD/P holdings have increased to 5,108 cubic feet.
  - b. During the first six months of 1956, the following elements of DD/P have destroyed records in the quantity indicated:

| RI/FI       28.1       24.8       32.5       21.6       22.1       23.8       152.9         CI       2.3       1.3       .2       .2       3.8         FP       .       .       .       .       .       .         TSS       .       .       .       .       .       .       .         EE       . |       | Jan. 1956 | Feb. | Mar. | $\underline{\mathtt{Apr}}$ . | May  | Jun. | Totals (Cubic Feet) |
|--|-------|-----------|------|------|------------------------------|------|------|---------------------|
| TSS  | RI/FI | 28.1      | 24.8 | 32.5 | 21.6                         | 22.1 | 23.8 | 152.9               |
| TSS  | CI    |           | 2.3  | 1.3  | .2                           |      |      | 3 <b>.</b> 8        |
| EE       .5       .1       .6         FE       .3       4.4       .1       .1       4.9         NEA       2.6       .3       1.9       4.8         WE       .7       .7       7.4       9.5         SR       .3       5.4       .2       5.9   | PP    |           |      |      |                              |      |      | 0.                  |
| FE .3 4.4 .1 .1 .1 4.9  NEA 2.6 .3 1.9 4.8  WE .7 .7 .7 7.4 9.5  SR .3 5.4 .2 5.9  | TSS   |           |      | .8   |                              |      |      | .8                  |
| NEA       2.6       .3       1.9       4.8         WE       .7       .7       7.4       9.5         SR       .3       5.4       .2       5.9   | EE    | •5        |      | .1   |                              |      |      | .6                  |
| WE .7 .7 7.4 9.5 SR .3 5.4 .2 5.9  | FE    | •3        | 4.4  | .1   |                              | .1   |      | 4.9                 |
| SR •3 5•4 •2 5•9   | NEA   | 2.6       | •3   | 1.9  |                              |      |      | 4.8                 |
|  | WE    | •7        | •7   |      |                              | 7.4  |      | 9•5                 |
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